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THE GREAT K&A TRAIN ROBBERY.

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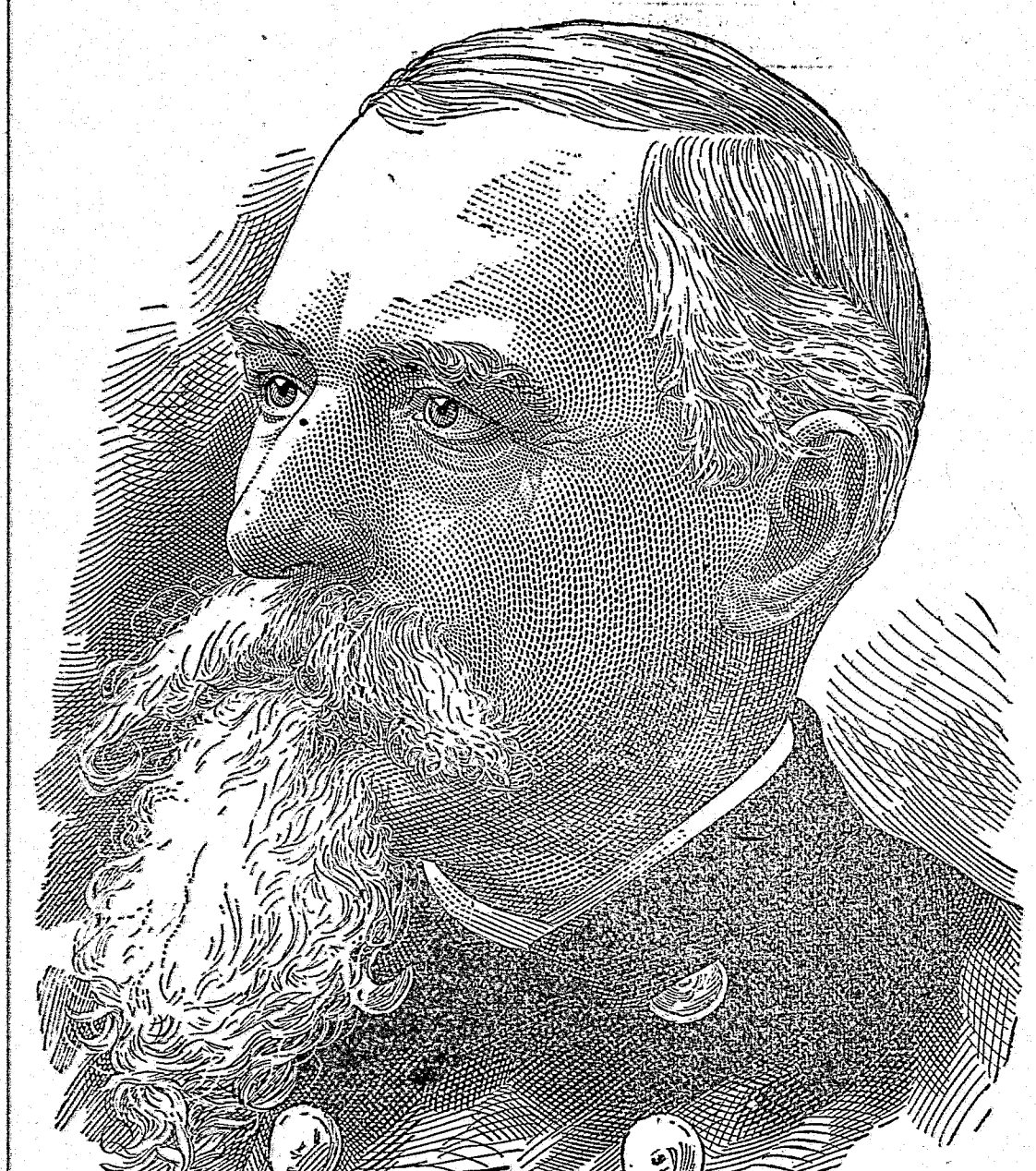
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Among Oxford County Farmers.

Benjamin Tucker, Norway, is among the largest and most successful farmers in town. He has been in the milk business about twenty years, keeping from 45 to 50 head of cattle, 35 cows in milk the present season. He has grade and pure-bred Holsteins, the herd being at present headed by a pure-bred Ayrshire bull from the herd of C. S. Hayes & Son, a very fine animal only 2 years old. He also has two pure-bred Ayrshire heifers to come in the present fall from the Yea-ton herd.

S. S. Smith, Oxford, is well known in Grange circles, having been treasurer of the Maine State Grange twelve successive years. He has been seventeen years on the board of selectmen, and collector more or less since 1880. Smith has been in the small fruit business thirty years, having been the first man to start cultivated strawberries into Norway village market. His largest crop in one year was 140 bushels, one day having 25 bushels picked, the three following days, 15 bushels each day.

W. W. Dunham, North Paris, is well up among the successful, progressive farmers in town. About 20 head of his stock are pure-bred Holsteins, for which he finds a ready market, both for pure-bred and grade animals. He is also among the largest and most successful orchardists and bee men in Oxford county.

Pleasant Valley Fruit Farm, South Woodstock, F. L. Wyman, proprietor. The apple orchard consists of about 1000 trees, very few of which are more than eleven years old, very largely Baldwins, some of the old variety, some of the new. J. P. Cobb, Bowdoinham, and a part of his stock is a remarkably fine lot of trees, large and thrifty, the larger ones bearing a barrel to a tree when nine years old. Out of a dozen New York Baldwin trees grafted in the nursery, set ten years since, only one remains, and that is a feeble tree. Mr. Wyman has twenty pear trees and about 200 plum trees, a nice lot, from which 50 bushels of fruit were harvested a year or two since. He has about 50 hills of currants, and in the rows between the small apple trees, from which nine bushels of berries were picked in one season. One hundred and fifty hills are to be set the present fall. He has 25 hills of gooseberries, from which six bushels were picked a year or two since. He also has a lot of strawberries. Pleasant Valley Fruit Farm is remarkably well kept, and a ready market for all the small fruits and vegetables that can be raised is found at the villages of West and South Paris.

The factory of the West Paris Creamery Co. was built in 1886, and since 1887 Mr. A. J. Abbott of Paris has been agent and butter maker. This company won five prizes at the Maine State Fair at Lewiston, 1892; five prizes, 1890; four prizes, 1889; also first prize, 1888. Among them, best firkin, 1st; best package, 1st; best prints, 1st; best granular, 1st. Also 1st prize at Maine State Dairy Meeting at Brunswick, Dec. 14, 15 and 16, 1892, score 98 points, and certificate to take 1st prize of the herd.

O. G. Curtis, South Paris, is among the best farmers in town, and has a nice set of farm buildings, the barn being 40x64 feet, the shed well filled. He thinks he has the best side in the world to take the hay from the horse fork into the mows. It is set on plow trucks so that it is very easily run from one end of the barn to the other. The farm consists of 165 acres, in good seasons getting from sixty to seventy tons of hay. He has been in the milk business ten years or more, selling both at South Paris and Norway villages. He keeps a fine herd of from 15 to 18 cows, having customers to take 165 cases of milk of the herd.

Curtis is a prominent granger, having been Master of the Paris Grange several times, and has run the Grange store successfully some ten or twelve years.

The Waterford Creamery, South Waterford, W. K. H. Evans, proprietor. Geo. V. Goding butter maker, has done the largest business in its history, the present season, one month turning out 17,336 pounds of butter. At the last State Fair this company won three 1st premiums, 1 second and 10 display and 1st prize at the Worcester Butter Salt Company, and that offered by the Wells and Richardson Butter Color Company.

Mrs. J. H. Evans, Sweden, with her son Walter, has a good farm, a good orchard, one hundred barrels of apples this year and a good stock of cattle. A neighbor who helped in haying tells you correspondent that the field out an average of two tons of hay to the acre. How is that for a rough Oxford county farm? A pair of grade Hereford steer calves, about 5 months old, were recently sold from this farm to Wm. Horne (Harbor P. O.) Fryburg, for \$50. How is that for calves raised by a lady farmer?

Besides his other stock Wm. Stevens, Sweden, has five pure bred Holsteins, headed by the yearling bull Clifton Kimbo, which at 21 months old gives 6 ft. 3 in., a fine shaped animal. A fine looking yearling heifer gives 6 ft. 2 in. Mr. Stevens has a ready sale for his surplus stock at fair prices.—Maine Farmer.

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners.

E. F. BICKNELL, 141 MAIN STREET,
Next Door to Opera House.

This image shows a vertical strip, likely a page from a book or a scan of a document. The right side is a dark, heavily textured black area, possibly representing a binding or a very dark page. The left side is a lighter, off-white area with a visible vertical crease or fold line running down the center. The overall appearance is grainy and high-contrast, typical of a low-quality scan or a photograph of a physical document.

When Trains Leave Norway.
Leave Norway for Portland and Lewiston.
*6.30, 9.25, a. m.; 4.15, p. m.
Leave Norway for Gorham and West.
9.25, a. m.; 3.30, 7.55, p. m.
*Including Sunday.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.
H. P. Sawyer has added fifteen feet to the length of his stable.

A. P. Bassett has newly shingled the roof of his restaurant and dwelling.

Mrs. Waldo Tilton has returned from a month's visit to relatives in Massachusetts.

The new point on the Ginn House is lemon yellow with burnt orange trimmings.

William C. Cole has put new sills under the Swan & Bartlett photograph studio.

Rev. B. S. Rideout and Rev. W. B. Eldridge exchanged pulpits, Sunday morning.

Joseph S. Smiley of Augusta made a flying visit to town, Thursday night of last week.

Norway Grange has an invitation to visit Bear Mountain Grange on Nov. 6th at 7.30 p. m.

President McKinley has issued a Thanksgiving proclamation setting apart Thursday, Nov. 26, for that purpose.

C. E. Tolman has opened an insurance office at Norway. He has desk room in Powers' music store, 110 Main street.

Rev. B. S. Rideout has moved into Mrs. Hannah Harris' new house on the south side of Main street near Paris St.

Straw with white trimmings is the style of the paint that has recently been spread over B. M. Pratt's house on Bridge street.

The selectmen say that those who go popping air guns on the street are liable to be prosecuted. Better not do it and you will keep out of trouble.

Have you noticed how brilliant the post-office looks? They cleaned house there, last week. Miss Gibson was ably assisted in the task by Mrs. Dora Smith.

Harry Crockett has just finished a business course at the Shaw Business College and has obtained a position in the Portland & Rochester freight office.

Dr. Charles E. Johnston and wife of Kittery Point came to town, Saturday, to visit their friends. He returned home, Monday, but she stays several days longer.

Stephen H. Cummings has the agency for the Underwriters' Fire Extinguisher. Saturday afternoon, he gave an interesting exhibition of its capacity to deaden fire, near the depot.

Another large counter has been added to the equipment at Hobbs' Variety Store. It comes in very handy at this season, when they are displaying such an array of lamp goods.

If you want to see a stable nicely arranged for light, cleanliness, ventilation and ease in working, visit Chester W. Horne's new extension. It is the best we know of around here.

The high school football boys went to Bridgton, Saturday, and played against the high school boys there. Score, 6 to 6, which is satisfactory to ours, as the Bridgtons are the heavier team.

S. B. Charles, who lives in Oxford near the Ballard place, has raised a large lot of turnips, this season. He sells them on the streets in Norway and finds ready customers, as the quality of the turnips is exceptionally good.

Town meeting, Saturday, was very quiet. It was largely attended. S. S. Stearns was chosen moderator. It was voted unanimously to sell the town's shoe-shop property to the Norway Shoe Company, and by another unanimous vote the price was fixed at one dollar and the selectmen were authorized to execute the deed. The article relating to abatement of taxes was passed over.

The meeting adjourned after having been in session twenty-three minutes.

The rainy weather made it a rather small audience in the opera house, Thursday night of last week. The unfortunate people from the Connecticut Institute for the Blind at Hartford, Conn., gave a very interesting concert. It was decidedly better than we expected. The band of eight pieces did some cheerful playing. H. R. W. Miles gave a pleasing piano solo and played the accompaniment. The double male quartet sang several selections and were unanimously applauded.

Edward H. Northrop on the cornet and John Madson on the clarinet showed surprising memory of lengthy and difficult selections. (As players, we would rather listen to Nowsorthy, Knapp or Kimball, but not only to them, but New England cities are rare that have such musicians as our three just named.) Stella Palmer gave a couple of humorous readings. Her vocal inflections were good but there was a painful lack of gestures. Harry L. Ellis played the banjo very acceptably. The feature of the evening was the singing by Emma L. Patterson. She has a fine contralto voice, well trained, and especially beautiful in the upper register. There was an exhibition of writing with the Braille typewriter for the blind. It perforates the paper in such a way as to make finger reading easy. Also a lengthy speech on their institute and its work, of training the blind to be self-supporting. It is five years old, and now has a half hundred inmates ranging from one to forty years of age. There were a dozen people in the troupe here. A majority are totally blind, others can see to get around slowly, and two are not troubled as to their sight.

Ask E. P. Stone
Why the Elevated Railroads of New York and Brooklyn use only E. W. Dewey & Co's Ready Mixed Paint—the paint that covers at least 1/2 better and wears 1/2 longer.

RUMFORD FALLS.
Harry Holt is working in McManis' barber shop.

Everett K. Day and wife recently visited relatives in Hallowell.

Mrs. G. E. Merton of Portland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Aben Robinson.

Wednesday there was a bee for grading the yard at the Baptist parsonage.

Mrs. Reta Newman of Auburn visited her cousin, Mrs. A. E. Bartlett, last week.

Rev. J. D. Graham exchanged pulpits with Rev. Sumner Bangs of Buckfield, Sunday.

James Walker went behind the counter at Charles E. Howe's while the proprietor was on his wedding trip.

Since Stephens Block was built, two years ago, it has been the first home of twelve newly wedded couples.

W. W. Stevens of Rumford Center was badly hurt by the elevator in Virginia grain mill falling on him, but no bones were broken.

Brief and Pointed.

When a man is rapped in slumber it is generally apt to wake him up.

It is always safe to say that the graduate's essay is a first-class effort.

The rule of grammar that every baby knows is the attraction of the relative.

It is as bad to cover up the blind eye in a horse trade as it is to rob a man after you have knocked him down with a sand bag.

If you don't want your boy to turn out bad, don't bear down too hard on the grindstone.

An argument results from the collision of two trains of thought.

It isn't the man who blows most who finds it easiest to raise the wind.

Eve was the first witness to prove that prohibition does not prohibit.

It does not take much of a hunter to bag his trousers.

Choosing a wife is very much like ordering a meal in a French restaurant when you don't understand French.

You may get what you want, but you will get something.

The auctioneer is the only man who likes to see his customers wear a forbidding aspect.

The young man in love doesn't care so much about having a yacht at sea as having a little smack ashore.

The minister didn't think how it sounded when he said the dead shoe-maker had been faithful unto the last.

It must be a very tender-hearted woman who refuses to strike an octave.

When one jumps at a conclusion he rarely catches it.

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A man who stutters conveys his thought by limited express.

The landlord may be a spare man, but you may depend on finding him round on rent day.

A man's idea of preaching economy is to preach it three times a day to his wife.

I understand Corbett has sold the right to a whiskey firm to name a new brand after him. No doubt it will be a good liquor to make strong punches with.

HOUSEHOLD GODS.
The ancient Greeks believed that the Penates were the gods who attended to the welfare and prosperity of the family. They were worshipped as household gods in every home. The household god of to-day is Dr. King's New Discovery.

For consumption, coughs, colds and for all affections of Throat, Chest and Lungs it is invaluable. It has been tried for a quarter of a century and is guaranteed to cure or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to take and a safe and sure remedy for old and young.

Free trial bottles at the A. O. Noyes & Co. drug store, Norway, and E. A. Shurtleff, South Paris. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

NORTH HARRISON.
Work in the corn shop still goes on and is quite a help to those who work there.

The saw and hammer are heard quite often, where the farmers are fixing up for cold weather.

We hear that Ernest Davis, Lyman Chute and Ned Haskell have gone to the mountains of Masson hunting.

Deer are seen quite often in this part of the town and makes the boys wish they lived in old Oxford county.

There seem to be a good many hunters around this way and quite a lot of game, but the hunters as a general thing come home empty handed.

The fine weather we are having, this fall, gives the farmers a good chance to do their fall's work and burn up the old brush about the walls and roadsides.

Everybody hereabout is aware that our enterprising townsman, Samuel H. Dawes, is a leading fruit-grower in this section, he winning premiums at State, county and town fairs, but few people know precisely, or even approximately, of the extent of his pomological culture.

But here are a few statistics showing what he actually does in this line. In 1896, he sold from his farm 1100 barrels of apples, to say nothing of the considerable amount not thus disposed of. This fall, which is one of the poorest apple seasons ever known, his output is 75 bushels. This year his grape crop is merely nominal; but he has sold over 50 bushels of blueberries, about 35 bushels of cranberries, about 40 bushels each of raspberries and blackberries; and some 20 bushels of strawberries. The latter is only about one-fourth of an average crop, however. In 1896, he sold 50 bushels of strawberries, 50 bushels of raspberries, 50 bushels of blackberries, but no blueberries.—[News.]

A Good Thing
For Women to Remember.

That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham they are communicating with a woman—woman whose experience in treating woman's ills is greater than that of any living physician—male or female.

A woman can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate her private troubles to a man—besides, a man does not understand—simply because he is a man.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, not knowing well that they should have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impels them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probably examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price they can consult a woman, whose knowledge from actual experience is greater than any local physician living.

The following invitation is freely offered; accept it in the same spirit.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to freely communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. Thus has been established the confidential confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken and has induced more than 100,000 sufferers to write to her for advice during the last four months. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has saved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.—Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

SOUTH PARIS.
Some one mails a letter at South Paris to us enclosing \$1.50 but fails to sign their name consequently no credit can be given. Who is the party? Let some one speak up.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Wm. H. French and wife have been to Wells for a week's visit.

Quite a number from this place went to Boston, last week, on the excursion. All expected a fine time.

Arthur Garland of this place, who has been to work, this summer, for Mr. Joy, one of the city men who lives in the place in the summer, has finished work and returned home.

The Rev. J. Gale and wife of Intervale, N. H., were in the place, Saturday and Sunday, as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. D. Wakefield; also F. G. Cole and wife of Conway Corner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mills.

Joseph NeSmith of Lowell, Mass., who owns a summer residence here, saw a number of deer together, not far from his house. He shot and killed three of them. He was very much pleased to think he had such good luck. He shot them the 15th.

The lady preacher, Miss Curry, who was in the place, has gone home to Stoneham, Mass. They still keep up their prayer meetings and intend to through the winter. They expect Miss Curry will come back another summer.

There is a good interest in the meetings now, a great many are in earnest and doing all they can for the good cause.

At Center Conway, the 14th, about 12 o'clock, the buildings owned by Edwin Willey and occupied by Frank Harmon were burned to the ground.

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OWL STORY.
Frost Bunker, a famous woodsman whose name is familiar in the Moosehead region, is authority for the owl story which follows:

He was out prospecting with a party, when one of the party saw an immense owl perched in a tree. There were no weapons about him, and he was too far away to knock him from his perch, but nobody could do a thing to the old fellow until Bunker undertook the job.

This sagacious woodsman simply assumed a threatening attitude so he says, and commenced to walk around the tree. As fast as he walked the owl's head turned and by the time he had circled the tree three or four times the owl fell to the ground dead. He had broken his own neck.

Bunker says "you can't kill little owls that way, 'cause their feet won't hold long enough to kill 'em."

An article by Mark Twain written in the style of "The Innocent Abductor" and illustrated by A. B. Frost and Peter Newell, is a promise that magazine readers do not have held out to them every day. It is in the November number of McClure's Magazine that this rare feast of humor is to be served.

DR. TRUE'S ANNIVERSARY.
At the recent celebration of the eightieth birthday anniversary of Dr. J. F. True, of Auburn, Me., it was remarked that the occasion itself was a striking tribute to the value of the elixir which Dr. True discovered nearly fifty years ago. He has been a consistent taker of his own medicine and attributes to it his wonderful vitality and activity, equal to those of most men of sixty-five. Dr. True early applied the study of natural history and especially botany and became so proficient in these studies that he has long been recognized as an authority. These studies led to the discovery of Dr. True's Elixir which has been a household remedy for nearly half a century, and which has endeared the Doctor's name to many thousand people.

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Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-resident Owners.

Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Gilead, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1896.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners, situated in the Town of Gilead, for the year 1896, committed to me for collection for said Town, on the 15th day of May, 1897, remain unpaid, and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges, are not previously paid, so much of said real estate as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the Town House, in said Town, on the first Monday in December, 1897, at nine o'clock a. m.

Names of Owners. Description of Property. Amount of Tax. Tax. Etc.

Moses E. Chandler, Meadow, 15, No. Lot, 27, \$100, \$2.00

GILEAD, ME., Oct. 19, 1897. 43-45 H. P. WHEELER, Collector of Taxes of the Town of Gilead.

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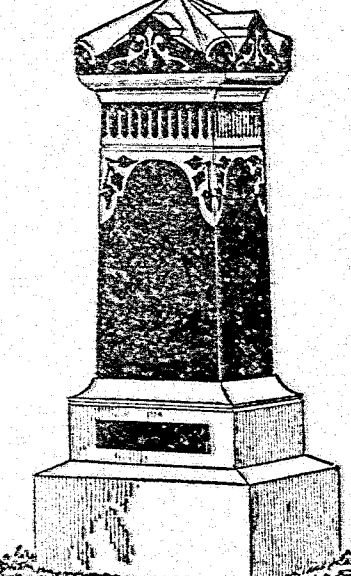
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I run a team to Norway and Bridgton once each week and will take wool to mill and return it without extra expense for trucking.
Mill closes for the season Dec. 15th.
Wool Rolls and Wool Bating for Sale.
W. K. HAMLIN.
South Waterford, Me. 391f

LAMPS!

Our fall stock is now in. We did not carry over a lamp from last year. Everything is new and shipped to us direct from factories, saving the expense of re-packing and breakage.
Styles are prettier than last year and prices lower.

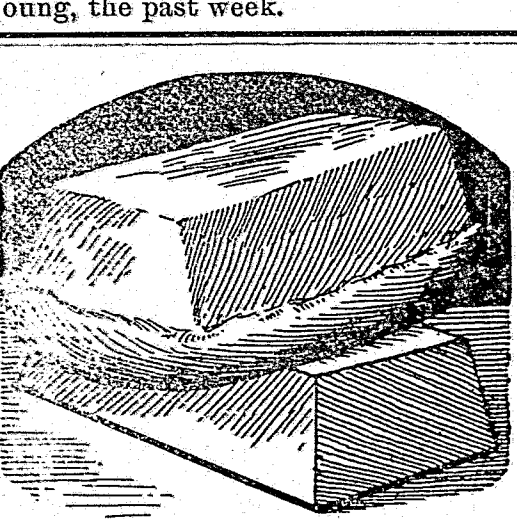
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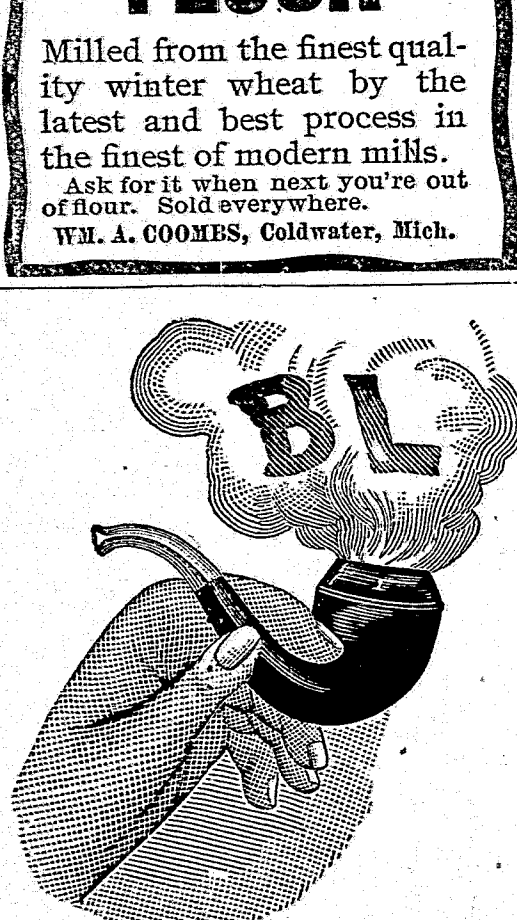
BETHEL.
Bertha Wiley's eyes have greatly improved.
Frances Carter is visiting in Framingham, Mass.
Mary True is visiting friends in Baddeck, N. S.
Mrs. Ceylon Rowe is spending a few weeks in Portland.
Gilman Chapman is working in a store at Colebrook, N. H.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holt are visiting relatives in Avon, Mass.
Mrs. W. G. Carroll of Minot has been visiting her father, S. B. Frost.
Six-year-old Jesse Peary of Mayville village broke his arm while playing ball.
Prof. Wm. R. Chapman and family have returned to New York for the winter.
Mrs. Gustavus A. Robertson and daughter of Augusta have been visiting relatives in town.
Mrs. J. W. Branton of West Somerville, Mass., recently visited her brother, Bennett C. Snyder.
Mrs. John F. DeCosta of Rumford Falls spent last week with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Andrews.

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HALE.
Al. Worthley shot a fox, one day last week.
The Mason Bros.' new stone dam is now completed.
Ithiel Kenerson returned to his home in Albany, Friday.
Hermion Mason went to Bethel, Sunday, to visit his mother.
Ithiel Kenerson has finished work for J. L. Chapman, turning dowels.
Mrs. Henry Rolfe, Mildred Rolfe and Mrs. Alanson Tyler called on Mrs. A. H. Kenerson, Friday.
Charlie Plagg and friend of Wilton have been visiting his sister, Mrs. H. E. Young, the past week.



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seems a matter of course when you use Rob Roy Flour. A generous flour—full of nutrition and all the qualities that produce light, wholesome, sweet-tasting bread, biscuits and rolls. None but a very poor cook could get any but the best results from using
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CONSUMPTION

CLIFFORD-CLIFFORD.
At the Knight homestead at East Rumford, Wednesday, occurred the wedding of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knight, Mrs. Cora Knight Clifford of East Rumford, and Rev. Howard Abbott Clifford, A. M., of Bethel, Me.
The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. R. Clifford of Deering, who was assisted by Rev. B. C. Wentworth of Skowhegan, both brothers-in-law of the bride and cousins of the groom.
Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Lucy A. Clifford of Monmouth, the groom's mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Howe and daughter Etta of Hanover, Mrs. Bessie Twitchell of Mexico, Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Wentworth of Skowhegan, Rev. and Mrs. W. Clifford of Westworth of Andover and Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Clifford of Deering.
The friends of both bride and groom remembered them with many useful and appropriate tokens of affection. After the newly wedded pair had received the hearty congratulations of their friends, refreshments were served with the hospitality for which this home has always been noted.
Mrs. Clifford is a graduate of Kent's Hill Seminary and Female College and has for several years been a most successful teacher. Mr. Clifford's extensive travels, both abroad and in the home land, supplementing his thorough collegiate and theological training, have rendered him a most versatile speaker, both in the pulpit and on the lecture platform.
They will be at home to their friends after November 15th at East Wilton, Me.

It Was Good Advice.
"I had dyspepsia and was unable to get even temporary relief from the medicines I took. I had about given up all hope of cure when a friend advised me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did so and it has cured me. My stomach now does not trouble me in the least." Laura Kendall, Stratford, Vt.
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PORTER.
Game is quite plenty.
Erwin Rice is quite sick with typhoid fever.
Joseph Towle has harvested 45 stacks of beans.
Mrs. Samuel French is sick with gastric fever.
Bert Fox has moved to Kezar Falls for the winter.
Henry French shot a deer, also coon, a few days ago.
The farmers are having good weather to do fall ploughing.
Samuel Stanley is finishing off the remainder of his house.
Rev. A. G. Davis of Bonny Eagle has been in town, recently.
Edwin Stanley of Boston is visiting his father, Samuel Stanley.
A. E. Rounds is visiting Rev. Stephen Dinsmore of Haverhill, Mass.
Joseph Rice has been confined to the house for a few days, with a very lame foot.
Charles French and wife of Kennebunkport are visiting his father, Warren French.
Charles Hurd of Biddeford has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Eunice Hurd of this place.
William Boothby of Limington is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Amos Mason.

Harrison Guntill lost a barrel of pork, a few nights ago. The thieves entered the railway. He had just killed his hog.
Those who went on the excursion to Boston from here were Everett Wentworth and wife, Ervin Philbrick, Mrs. Susan Sawyer, Mrs. Edgar Bickford, Willie Norton and Nehemiah Sawyer.

What Do the Children Drink?
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called Grain-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

CASCO.
Mae G. Barton has a bad cold.
E. A. Barton is shingling his house.
Hall Edwards and wife have been to Norway.
The woods are full of hunters but game is scarce.
Lewie Churchill is visiting his friend, Freeland Edwards.

Willie Cook stuck a stub in his foot, making him quite lame.
Messrs. Swift and Sawyer of Auburn called on friends, the 23d.
Frank Noble and wife have moved to their home at Webb's Mills.
C. M. Barton visited his friend, Henry Moore, Saturday and Sunday.
G. K. Hanson has had his house shingled. Barton and Hamlin did the job.
G. W. Burgess got thrown from his carriage and had his shoulder dislocated.
John Rand from Mechanic Falls was through this place, selling a variety of articles.

Merritt Thompson and family from Cumberland Mills have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Eliezer Meserve.
There was a ball game at Little Rigby on Saturday, the 23d, between the Songos and Webb's Mills. The Songos beat 15 to 18.
Would that we could have a good old-fashioned rainstorm. The wells and streams are very low and Coffee pond is the lowest I ever saw it.
Elliott Barton of Raymond visited his nephew, E. A. Barton, on the 22d. He is in poor health, although quite smart for a man in his 78th year.
Alonso Bartlett, from Greenville was through this place with fish on Tuesday and Friday. Ed Brackett from Songos was through here with fish, so we are well supplied.

NORTH LOVELL.
Eva Martin has a school here of which she may justly feel proud. The school is small but the attendance has been very regular. Her primer class, all of whom are only five years old, can read without spelling the words. Can bound Maine and Lovell, name all the counties in Maine, also the months in the year. Bertie Mason, one of them, has lost only one-half day. The average of the other scholars is excellent, none less than 70 and a good many more than 90 and some 100. One is worthy of mention, little Daisy Hill, aged about 14, in her test for spelling, ranks 100, in geography the same, in arithmetic 95 and hasn't had a black mark for the whole term. I have also seen maps of all the United States drawn by the different scholars, which would do credit to much older hands. If any one can give a better report there is room and we would like to hear it.

DIXFIELD CENTRE.
Wilmer Kidder has two live coons.
A. C. Childs sold his oxen for \$100.
D. W. Harvey shot another deer, last week.
H. C. Smith has moved on the Melvin Holman farm.
J. J. Holman sold a good two years old heifer for beef for \$20.00.
A full attendance is requested at the conference at the Free Baptist church, Saturday p. m., Oct. 30.

W. H. Ormsby of Scarborough is teaching the free high school, this fall. We are having a good school with 40 scholars in attendance.
J. J. Holman had an old fashioned husking bee, last Tuesday evening, Emory Watte, Wednesday evening, and C. H. Kidder, Saturday evening.

Farmers are quite well along with their fall's work as they did not have many apples to pick or potatoes to dig. Considerable ploughing is being done.
The farmers here refuse to raise sweet corn another year for less than 10c. per pound. Prices of flour and corn are higher and we think they ought to get it.



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PROBATE NOTICES.
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:
That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the OXFORD COUNTY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1897, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.
WILLIAM E. LORD, late of Waterford, deceased, petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Merton L. Kimball administrator.
ALBION P. CHAPMAN, late of Bethel, deceased, first account presented for allowance by Susanna P. Chapman, executrix.
ESTHER DYER, late of Norway, deceased, will and petition for probate of same presented by Moses Hawkins, the executor therein named.
CALVIN REARD, late of Lovell, deceased, final account presented for allowance by Joseph F. Stearns, executor.
FRANK L. RAY, late of Waterford, deceased, first and final account presented for allowance by Ida M. Ray, administratrix.
SEWARD S. STEARNS, Judge of said Court. A true copy—Attest:
44-46 **ALBERT D. PARK**, Register.

Dissolution of Partnership.
The partnership heretofore existing between James Smith and E. E. Flood under the firm name of Smith & Flood, was by mutual consent dissolved Saturday, Oct. 27, 1897.
JAMES SMITH,
E. E. FLOOD.
Notice.—All persons indebted to the above firm are requested to call and settle. The business will be continued by James Smith. 44-46
2 SHEEP STRAYED Into my enclosure, I shall be at my place Nov. 4 with 500 good sheep for wintering. Any one wanting to
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44-46 **H. S. HASTINGS**, Newry, Me.

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Bridgton Academy.

The football players were entertained in the Academy Hall, Oct. 27, at a pie supper given by the manager, Mr. Spooner, in honor of the team's victorious career, which was brought to a close Oct. 23, the last game of the season having been played. The seventeen, who were present, were highly entertained. The table was tastefully decorated and looked very inviting, laden with a bounteous supply of pies and confections. After the supper each player was called upon for a toast. All responded and several very humorous and very witty toasts were made. The supper was succeeded by some very amusing broom races, in which all took an active part. The evening closed with singing, the disbanding of the team and a hearty cheer for Captain Wright.

Among the recent alumni visitors at the Academy are Dr. Willis Kimball of Portland, Rev. Truman S. Perry, and Judge Woodbury of Bethel. Each favored the school with an interesting address. Judge Woodbury, who attended the Academy in 1834, was a schoolmate of the late Colonel John M. Adams of Portland.

EAST SWEDEN.

C. H. Brown has bought a cow of D. T. Adams.

H. H. Bisbee has finished work at the Bennett mill and will move from town soon.

Wm. Bennett has got done working for J. W. Nevers and is at work for Geo. Haskell.

Merrill Jewell of Waterford with W. H. Haynes' team is hauling the apples from this place to Harrison to go by boat down the lake.

Linden H. Merrill having finished his six months work for Mr. Hamlin of Waterford has been visiting at O. H. Haskell's, also doing a little hunting, having shot five gray squirrels. One day, while Merrill and Haskell were out together, Haskell shot two gray squirrels with a Winchester rifle, at one shot and got them both.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their very kind and helpful assistance in our recent sorrow and affliction in the sickness of all our dear children and in the death of our two youngest. May they all receive like sympathy and aid in any hour of sorrow which may come to them. Very gratefully,
MR. AND MRS. WALTER LOCK, Denmark.

DENMARK.

S. J. Bennett is on the sick list.

John Wentworth of this town has bought a farm in Brownfield and moved to it.

J. Alexander is visiting his two sisters, Mrs. Sauborn and Mrs. Ames of Lynn.

Geo. W. Moulton and wife with their son G. Albert have been to New Brunswick on a two weeks' visit to H. H. Bennett's.

Isaiah Libby of Boston, formerly of this town, was run over by an ice wagon and instantly killed. His remains were brought to Cornish for interment.

Mrs. M. M. Bennett is in very poor health. She is with her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Burleigh, at Cambridgeport, Mass., where she intends to spend the winter.

Our town was well represented on the excursion to Roston, last week. Including the school, there were about 100 persons, there were hardly enough left for a quorum.

A. H. Witham makes a trip to Bethel, this week, on business.

Rev. Samuel Pendexter of Sanford is visiting his nephew, C. O. Pendexter.

Rev. Mr. Sargent made an exchange, last Sabbath, with Rev. Mr. Hague of South Bridgton.

Ezra Davis is on a visit to Kansas and when he returns is to take his wife's mother with him.

Mrs. Lucy Hamden is very sick, bleeding at the nose. Her condition is critical. Her daughter Minnie has been obliged to suspend her school to attend her mother.

Geo. Orcutt has built him a nice carriage house and newly shingled his porch and shed, beside making some changes in his outbuildings, making quite marked improvements.

Augustus Pingree and wife, Mrs. Lucy Pingree, E. E. Swan and wife, Charles Wood, wife and son, A. B. Ordway and wife, John Alexander and son's wife, A. W. Belcher and wife and Mrs. A. H. Jones were Denmark's delegation to Boston on the excursion, last week.

HALE.

A. H. Kenerson and wife visited at Dixfield, Friday.

Mrs. Eugene Young has been quite ill for the past week and is no better at this writing.

Nat. Bennett and Milford Brown of North Albany passed through this place, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tyler, Ithaca Kenerson and Blanche Kenerson of North Albany visited at A. H. Kenerson's, the past week.

F. C. Merrill is having a fine sale of his new model O. K. Swivel plows, this fall.

EAST STONEHAM.

The melancholy days have come.

This week, the mason work will probably be done on Mr. Bartlett's new house.

Religious meetings have been held at the church here, evenings during the past week, and will continue during the present week. Considerable interest is manifested.

We are informed that a nice steer was found lying dead under a tree in the town of Waterford. It was evident that it had been shot by some one but whether it had been mistaken for a deer, hit by a long range shot or killed in malicious mischief, we do not know.

Bad colds are very prevalent here and more than the usual amount of sickness. J. S. Small remains about the same, but still quite feeble. Levi McAllister is better. Joel Sawyer was taken violently sick a few days since with an attack of cholera morbus. Gerald, the little son of Leslie McAllister, is sick.

Some of our neighbors have beautiful house plants and a variety of them. Among those I have noticed Mrs. S. L. Moody has a beautiful fuchsia with blossoms and buds on it. It is two feet or more in height and is a sight to gladden the eye and heart. Last June it was only a set of three inches tall. She has other nice plants. Mrs. H. M. Parker is very successful with plants and has an oleander tree nearly eight feet in height.

WEST MINOT.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Given of Wales are visiting his uncle, A. P. Given.

The Hallows' social in Grange Hall, Saturday evening, was well attended.

Herlie DeCoster of Auburn spent Saturday and Sunday with his aunt, Rose Pike.

Mrs. Jennie Howe and children of Bryant's Pond are at her father's, John Pike's.

H. C. Howard and Sam. Whittemore went to Boston, last Monday, returning on Saturday.

Mrs. Watson Andrews of Harrison visited her sister, Mrs. Arabelle Whittemore, last week.

Mrs. Fred Packard and two children of Hebron Station were at Rose Pike's, Saturday and Sunday.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

Will Sturdivant has gone to Portland to work.

W. J. Pitman, wife and two sons visited in Brownfield, last week.

Mr. Sargent of West Lovell is visiting her son, Percy McKee, at this place.

E. R. Charles and W. H. Hancock are sawing wood with horse power in Stow.

Winslow Walker has been at work laying pipe to carry water to his buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Fife of Stow visited at S. A. Smith's, one day last week.

Mrs. Hannah Charles has had several illnesses lately but is some better at this date.

Oct. 28, Baxter Bros. had seventeen double teams hauling corn to Fryeburg station.

A. M. Pitman and wife have been visiting relatives in this place, also in Brownfield and Hiram recently.

MASON.

Albert Mains left for his California home, last Thursday.

El Grover went to the lakes, last Tuesday, on a hunting trip.

Levi Bartlett of Bethel was in town, last Tuesday, on business.

Albert and Leander Grover of Bethel were at S. O. Grover's, last Friday.

George Frost, wife and four children of Norway are visiting at A. G. Lovejoy's.

Heman N. Bean and wife of North Auburn visited his father, J. C. Bean, the past week.

Mrs. Cyrene J. Bean of South Paris visited at J. C. Bean's, last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ben Skillings of Otisfield stopped with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Tyler, last Tuesday night.

Archie Hutchinson, wife and son have returned from Boston, where he has been working as motorman on the electric cars.

Irving Wilson, wife and daughter of North-west Bethel visited at Samuel Grover's and called on friends in this town and Albany, last Wednesday and Thursday.

School closed, last Friday, after an eight weeks' term. There will be a vacation of one week; then another term of eight weeks will be taught by the same teacher, Elizabeth I. Grover of Bethel. This will be her fourth term, which speaks well for the teacher.

There was a family gathering at Payson Philbrook's, last Sunday. The following were present: Payson Philbrook, wife and two children; Ed Philbrook, wife and child; Cleveland Brown, wife and child; A. G. Lovejoy, wife and two children; George Frost, wife and four children; Arthur Merrill, wife and son; Albin Mason and wife; George West, wife and child; Archie Hutchinson, wife and child; and a good time was enjoyed.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. J. B. Barnett is on the sick list.

Belle Coburn of Auburn has recently visited Mrs. O. W. Brown.

Mrs. McCormick and daughter Persis from Portland were at C. H. Cross', last Sunday.

Miss N. M. Emery of Auburn is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Farnham, on Howe Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Felt and Minnie and Eva Perkins visited friends in Woodstock, last Sunday.

Albert Felt came home from Portland last Sunday, to stay a week or longer if his health is better.

Nannie Torrey of South Weymouth, Mass., has been visiting her cousins, W. H. Farnham and family.

A family by the name of Verrill has moved into Mrs. Abner Libby's tenement near the railroad crossing.

Guy Coffin is the latest addition to the chicken pox list, making six of the school children who have had the disease, this term.

Mrs. Albert Green of Mexico, who has been visiting her father, A. J. Ayer, has returned home, and is to move to Mechanic Falls, this week.

Mrs. W. R. Swift and daughter Marion went to Portland, last Saturday, and from there to Deerfield to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Rand of Fessenden street. They returned home, Monday.

Pomona at West Paris.

At the Pomona Grange held at West Paris, Nov. 2d, the following Granges were represented: Paris, Norway, Hebron, Franklin, Pleasant Valley, Frederick Robie and West Paris. There was a very good attendance in spite of the rain and mud. Four candidates took the 5th degree in the forenoon. Woman's half hour was occupied by the discussion of the question of dress reform opened by Sister S. E. Jackson and also discussed by Sisters Carrie Briggs, Georgia Davis, Emily Felt and others.

In the afternoon meeting, Bros. C. H. George and Quimby Perham were chosen a committee to see about obtaining rooms at Augusta for delegates to the State Grange. Voted to send the Master and his wife to Augusta to represent the Pomona at the State Grange.

Then the literary exercises were taken up which consisted of music and reading. An address of welcome was given by E. E. Field and responded to by H. D. Hamond. The different Granges responded as follows to the call for literary exercises:—A reading or recitation by Bro. Morse of Paris Grange; select reading by Sister Roberts of Norway Grange; song and music by Bro. W. F. Hammond and Sisters Anna Bryant and Myrtle Bacon for Franklin Grange; a song by L. C. Brett of Frederick Robie Grange; reading by Cora Lurvey of West Paris and a song by W. F. Dunham.

Then the following question was discussed:—Resolved that the Maine tramp law should be enforced, a question in which all present were very much interested. Opened by Bro. Quimby Perham of Franklin Grange and ably discussed by Bros. L. C. Brett, Henry Hammond, Will Davis, S. M. King, Benj. Davis and Myrtle Bacon for Franklin Grange; a song by L. C. Brett of Frederick Robie Grange; reading by Cora Lurvey of West Paris and a song by W. F. Dunham.

The next meeting will be with Paris Grange.

It was a grand good meeting in spite of the weather and traveling.

FRYEBURG.

Clara Tarbox is in Boston.

Hon. George B. Barrows is in Boston for the winter.

Miss A. L. Locke has returned from a visit to Portland.

Mrs. David R. Haley has been visiting friends in Milford, Mass.

T. L. Eastman was unanimously elected secretary but declined to serve.

Large forest fires were burning, the past week, in Fryeburg, Maine.

E. N. Fox, W. R. Tarbox and W. F. Abbott were the committee appointed to make arrangements for the races to be held at the grounds of the West Oxford Agricultural Society in July.

The teachers' meeting to be held here, November 11 and 12, promises to be one of the best of the season.

An excellent program has been prepared. George C. Fanning of Farmington Normal School and State Superintendent Stetson will be present. Mr. Fanning will deliver an address, Thursday evening.

The West Oxford Agricultural Society voted to pay \$500 on the existing debt, to allow the grounds to be used for a Fourth of July celebration, to build horse box stalls for horses and to hold a summer meeting, the coming season.

The track is one of the best in the State and it will be a means of bringing good horses to this meeting.

At the annual meeting of the West Oxford Agricultural Society, the following officers were elected:

President, C. H. Walker.
Vice President, S. Ames.
Secretary, W. H. Abbott.
Treasurer, W. R. Tarbox.
Agents, C. W. N. J.

Trustees, D. A. Ballard, H. D. Harnden, Fryeburg, C. W. Stow, B. D. Knight, Sweden, A. Fessenden, Denmark, C. R. Bean, Hiram, E. N. Fox, Lovell, Harrison, Gupitell, Porter, J. W. Perkins, Brownfield.

OTISFIELD.

The sick in this vicinity remain about the same.

Most every one is sick with colds and lung trouble.

Dr. Andrews has returned to his old home in Auburn.

Gene Edwards caught two raccoons in his traps recently.

Wallace Edwards has caught a raccoon and several skunks, this fall.

Your correspondent picked a dandelion blossom and a strawberry blossom, Oct. 29th.

A Race for Life.

One of the most exciting events of the season occurred, Friday evening, Oct. 22, at East Otisfield. Mr. Hazen and his friends, who were cruising in Thompson pond, one dark night, were induced to pursue a light, which they afterwards decided was a will-o'-the-wisp as far as results were concerned and which died away among the stamps of the cove.

The facts of the case are these: The Messrs. Kemp, who have been spending a short time in Otisfield and camping near Thompson pond, decided to row out some distance from the shore.

Whether the trip was for pleasure, or in the interests of science, or for practical purposes, we have not been able to ascertain. Certain it is that no instruments of a scientific or useful nature were found in their boat, although a powerful search light was brought to bear upon it.

We are of the opinion that they were attracted by the beautiful scenery of the lake and as there was no moon at that time, with wise foresight they carried a torch.

Their quiet enjoyment was rudely interrupted as they suddenly realized that they were being chased by an ocean greyhound, which occasionally infests the lake.

Although innocent, the instinct of self preservation seized them and they determined upon a race for life.

The contest was unequalled but as in the case of the Merrimack and Monitor, the smaller craft was successful. This small boat was managed, and the condition of that part of the pond which was unsuitable for ships of large draught.

HEBRON.

G. H. George has purchased a horse recently.

School in district No. 7 taught by Lizzie M. Bearce closed, this week.

There was a sociable at Sturtevant Hall, Wednesday evening, Oct. 27.

Addison Maxim has gone to Boston to see his son Bert. He will be gone about a week.

Dr. Crane exchanged with Rev. Mr. Ramsdell of South Paris, last Sunday.

Mr. Ramsdell preached a very interesting sermon.

The Hebron Grange held their anniversary, Wednesday, Oct. 27th. Deputy G. W. Q. Perham was present and gave the Grange much valuable information.

GREENWOOD.

Randall Herriek is working for Albert Packard.

Edith Ring was at home from Bethel over Sunday.

George Cole is working in the bicycle shop at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Packard were at Wm. Martin's, Sunday.

Ranson Herriek recently swapped horses with Albert Packard.

Oscar Peabody is visiting relatives in Stoneham and Wakefield, Mass.

Agnes Herriek is at West Paris, working in the family of C. Howard Lane.

Alton Bacon is to teach the winter term of school in the Bryant district.

Ora Whitman has been spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. G. G. Cordwell.

Sylvester Cole and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Charles Swan at Berlin, N. H.

Ernest Herriek is making quite extensive repairs on his buildings. Fred Edgely is the carpenter.

Gilman Cordwell went to Cumberland, Saturday, to remain over Sunday with his brother Stephen.

Will Emmons is progressing finely on his new house. Frank Martin has been helping do the plastering.

School in the city district commenced, Monday, Nov. 1, taught by Herbert Bacon. Mr. Bacon boards at home.

The praying band from Norway held a meeting at the church at Greenwood City, Sunday, Oct. 31. A goodly number were present.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Henry House is working for Mrs. S. B. Jones.

Dr. J. F. Putnam has laid an aqueduct to his barn.

W. F. Clark and Mell Lovejoy are trapping in Roxbury.

Mrs. Clara Curtis and daughter have returned from their visit in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

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Notice.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oxford Central Electric Railroad for the election of officers and the transaction of other legal business, will be held at the office of Jonathan Bartlett, Clerk pro tem, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Nov. 10th, 1897.

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